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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	HA ET AL.	Examiner:	UNKNOWN
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Title:	METHOD TO MANUFACTURE COMPOSITE POLYMER ELECTROLYTE MEMBRANES COATED WITH INORGANIC THIN FILMS FOR FUEL CELLS		

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.